

SCAVENGER'S CONDUCT IS ROASTED

Official to Be Removed Unless Immediate Improvement Occurs

MAYOR GIVES DEEDS BEGINNING JAN. 17th

To Applicants for Title to City Lots Upon Filing of Proper Affidavits. See Ordered for City—Wholesale Liquor Dealers Protest—New House House—Other Work of Special Meeting of Council.

A couple of weeks ago the street superintendent was savagely hauled over the coals by the City Council. At the special meeting last night it was the turn of the City Scavenger. After Ord and Sowle had roasted him to a frazzle, the Council instructed that the Sanitary Committee, Sowle, Ord and Carr, take him in hand and remove him from office in the event they could not get immediate and extensive betterment in the service afforded the city. The opinion of council seemed to be that what was most needed was to get the scavenger at work personally and break up the custom he was said to follow of delegating all his work to Mexicans.

Among complaints made was that the Mexican drivers of the garbage wagons often left slop cans after half emptying them; that they were in the habit of charging people for the removal of garbage that the city paid to have removed; the case of Councilman Hughes, who recently had to pay 25 cents to get garbage removed from his place, being cited; that while not half doing the work in the city because of alleged lack of time, the garbage men still found time to do work for pay outside the city limits with city equipment; the case of the swim school being cited. Reference to the dumping of garbage near the Saginaw shaft, where it created an odor exceedingly undesirable to the neighborhood, was also made, the result being that the Sanitary Committee was instructed to arrange for the burning of the garbage at some isolated place in the future.

In the matter of the new fire house, suggested at a previous meeting by Fire Chief Henkle for Clawson corner, the Fire Chief submitted plans for a building to cost about \$450. It was ordered that the plans be placed in proper form for use, and bids for the construction of a building after them advertised for.

On call for the ordinance providing for a building inspector it was found that the fire committee had not met with the City Attorney to outline the desired ordinance. The committee arranged for a meeting this afternoon at 4 with the City Attorney and the Fire Committee from the Fire Company, when the ordinance will be outlined.

Complaint was made by the Arborn Grocery Co. that outside of the city dealers in liquor were delivering goods in the city, though they paid no license, and remedy was asked. At the same time protest was made against the amount of the license charged city wholesale dealers, \$40 per month. The Arborn Co. was told to put its request for lower license before the License Committee, and to bring complaints in the city courts against the people bringing liquor into the city without paying license, a violation of an ordinance now on the books which provides a fine for the offense. An ordinance in the interest of the Zellner Piano company was presented and adopted. It provides a license of \$20 per quarter for musical instrument stores located in the city. As a result of its adoption the Zellners will at once open a store in the Hughes block. The old ordinance was framed to cover agents for piano concerns coming into the city occasionally and maintaining no permanent place of business here. It provides for these a license rate of \$30 per quarter.

The City Attorney stated that it would be necessary for the city to purchase a deed book for the Mayor in order that he could properly give deeds to lot holders of the city upon its receiving its townsite patent. Everything will be in readiness to issue these deeds on and after the 17th of January, when the Mayor will commence issuing them in the order in which lot holders file the necessary affidavits with him setting forth their title to claim the property they ask title for. The Council instructed that the deed book be purchased at once, together with a seal for the city, a dozen chairs, and a new desk for the Council chamber.

The Mahem deed to the ground covered by the O. K. street stairway from

CHARLES SWANSON IS MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING

LEFT SPRAY MINE TUESDAY NIGHT TO GO TO HIS HOME.

FEARED HE STRAYED TO DEATH

Was Taken Sick in Mine and Quit Work—Last Seen at Change House. Believed That He Wandered From There Into the Hills.

Charles Swanson, a well known miner employed at the Spray, is missing. Friends feel so much alarm about his absence that unless something definite is heard concerning his whereabouts by an early hour this morning a searching party will go out before noon to see if trace of him can be found. Mr. Swanson was taken with cramps while at work Tuesday night. The attack became so violent that about 10 o'clock he quit his work and laid down for a while in the hope that relief would come. After a short time he got up and told fellow miners that he felt better, but did not feel able to resume work, and would go up, change clothes and go home. He was asked if he needed help to get home, and responded that he did not, and that he thought he would be recovered by morning. This was the last seen of him by any of his associates.

Wednesday night he did not show up at the mine for work, and yesterday friends began to make inquiries concerning him. A visit to his room at School Hill developed the fact that he had not been there since Tuesday, and his friends became alarmed. Inquiry was later made at the change room of the Spray. It was learned that he had been there after leaving the mine Tuesday night and changed his clothes, after which he had immediately gone out. Searching inquiry made during the afternoon and night at other places about town where he might have gone failed to reveal any trace of the missing man following his departure from the change house.

The fear is entertained now that Swanson became worse after leaving the change house, and that probably in delirium he wandered off into the hills, either to fall down in a helpless state in some unfrequented spot, or to fall into some one of the numerous abandoned shafts that invite death about the district. The search that will be inaugurated today will be directed to the hills in pursuance of the fear that the sick man wandered that way.

REJECT ARBITRATION. Fall River, Mass., Dec. 21.—The Cotton manufacturers have rejected the proposition for arbitration by the National Civic Federation, submitted by the Textile Workers' Council.

MINERS CAUGHT IN DEATH TRAP

SEVEN AUSTRIANS SUFFOCATED BY SMOKE IN A PENNSYLVANIA CLAY MINE.

Unable to Get Out of Working Because of Burning Building at Mouth—Air Shaft Drew in Smoke—Number Injured.

Bolivar, Pa., Dec. 20.—Seven men were suffocated today in the No. 2 soft clay mine of the Reese Hammond Fire Brick Co. near here.

The victims were Austrians. There were about twenty-five men in the mine, and all but seven were rescued, though they were all in bad condition, and two are likely to die.

A small building, about 16x20, burned down at the mouth of the mine. The air shaft from the lower workings to the surface acted as a sort of flue and drew into the mine the heat and smoke from the fire, thus suffocating the men, whose escape was shut off by the fire at the mouth of the mine.

GOV. BRODIE'S RETURN.

He Left Pennington, N. J., Yesterday With His Family.

Phoenix, Dec. 22.—A telegram yesterday afternoon from Governor Alexander O. Brodie to his secretary, Gen. H. Smalley, stated that he would leave Pennington, N. J., this morning and will arrive in Phoenix Christmas morning. The party consists of Governor and Mrs. Brodie and son, Master Stanley, Mrs. Brodie's mother, Mrs. Hanna, and a maid.

Brewery Guich, together with the stairway, was accepted, and Mr. Muhlen ordered paid \$375 for the same. Leases signed with the Copper Queen Co. for the ground occupied by the jail, city barns and the pound, were presented and accepted. The leases call for the payment of 50 cents per month rent on each of the three pieces of ground.

CZAR TAKES BOLD STAND

FIRMLY TURNS DOWN AS PRESUMPTUOUS, THE APPEAL OF THE ZEMSTOVTS FOR AUTHORIZED GATHERING TO FORMULATE CONSTITUTION FOR HIS CONSIDERATION—SAYS MATTERS MUST CONTINUE AS THEY HAVE IN THE PAST, SO FAR AS ZEMSTOVTS ARE CONCERNED.

KUROPATKIN SENDS GOOD NEWS FROM FRONT

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—Emperor Nicholas formally notified the country today that the agitation for a constitution and convening of a national assembly is useless. Such is the construction placed upon an endorsement written in his own hand on resolutions telegraphed by the president of the Zemstovts on Dec. 20, begging him in a most joyous manner to convene a legally elected assembly of Zemstovts to present a program of reforms for his consideration. The Emperor wrote on the dispatch: "I consider the action of the president to be presumptuous and tactless. Questions of state administration are of no concern to Zemstovts, whose functions and rights are clearly defined by law."

St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—Gen. Kuropatkin has telegraphed to the general staff that he has received a report from Chinese sources to the effect that the Russians have recaptured 203 Meire Hill, at Port Arthur, with guns mounted there by Japs. Kuropatkin's report, which is dated December 21, also reports further reconnaissance by both Russians and Japanese, but says they were not productive of important results. The weather at the front is sunny, but the thermometer registers 14 below zero.

FOUL MURDER AT NACOSARI

PROSPECTOR IMBIBES TOO FREELY AND MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY.

The Man Was Found With His Head Lying in a Pool of Blood—Weapon Used Was Evidently a Large Dirk Knife.

A special to the Douglas Dispatch from Nacosari says:

The discovery of one of the foulest murders which has ever been committed in this section of the country came to light this afternoon when the body of a man was found weltering in a pool of blood with his head almost severed from his body. The body had not been lying long, as every evidence was to the effect that the murder had been committed only a few hours before.

The body was that of a white man who had come to town a few days ago. He had come here evidently to enjoy himself, as he had been drinking quite freely and had a good deal of money on his person. When he came here a few days ago he began drinking very freely and was under the influence of intoxicants when he was last seen. He exhibited on several occasions a good roll of money, and the fact seems to give the best clue to the motive of the murder. That the man was killed for money there is no doubt in the minds of those who have investigated the case. He was either asleep when the fiend slipped upon him, or he was attacked and murdered when in a helpless condition. The weapon which was used was evidently a large dirk knife, and the weapon was slashed across the throat of the innocent man, almost severing his head from his body.

It is understood that the murdered man is a prospector, or a mining man who came down for the purpose of going to some of the new camps, or to go out into the hills for the purpose of prospecting.

LATER—Arrivals from Nacosari on last evening's train state that the murdered man's name was Kingman, and that he was an electrician and not a prospector.

RELIEF FOR PIMAS. The committee on Indian affairs in the house will report favorably Commissioner Jones' recommendation that 175,000 acres of Pima Indian reservation be set aside for irrigation, the sale thereof to be used for the benefit of said Indians.

Bargain Day Sale.—The Review offers the people of Bisbee today a bargain day sale of subscriptions to this paper, and the offer can be taken by old or new subscribers. See the announcement in another column.

High School Banquet.—Invitations are out from the members of the Bisbee Public High School for a High School Banquet to be given Friday, December 23, at the Central School Building, room 9.

Mrs. J. R. Harrison, of Naco, spent yesterday shopping in this city.

Miss Grace Works is a visitor in the city from Cananea.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 22.—Within sight of the city of Colorado Springs, on the point of Mount Cutler, has been found the nude body of a young woman, evidently murdered. Not content with murdering the girl by administering poison, the murderer then stripped the body of every vestige of clothing and placed the body across a six-inch log poured oil over the head and buried it in the evident hope of forever destroying all possibility of identification. The clothing and jewelry were then removed and probably buried in some remote portion of the canyon.

The body is that of a girl between sixteen and eighteen years of age and bears every indication of refinement. The head and shoulders and upper portions of the breast were badly burned from the oil fire, which the murderer started in an effort to destroy the identity of the unfortunate girl, but the hair had been coiled so tightly that it was only partially destroyed. That which is left is of light brown color and would indicate that the deceased was blonde and had blue eyes.

There is every indication that the young woman died of poison, the hands being clenched as though she died in convulsions.

The theory most favored is that the girl was probably a visitor from the east and having been led astray by some man, was induced to accompany him on a picnic excursion to the hill and was there killed by means of a poisoned lunch.

ARIZONA LEGISLATOR SUICIDES. Kills Himself in a Hotel at Dallas, Texas.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 22.—J. W. Burson, a member of the Council of the last Legislature of Arizona, from Yavapai county, and for more than a quarter of a century connected off and on with Texas journalism, committed suicide in a room at the Imperial hotel Tuesday night, by shooting himself through the heart. He was depressed in spirits, and the Knights of Pythias had appointed a member to remain with him. While the attending member's attention was distracted for a moment Mr. Burson did the shooting. He left three letters to relatives and one to a banker at Arlington.

Twenty-five years ago he founded the Denison Herald, and later the Galveston Tribune. A few months ago he retired to his farm near Arlington, six miles from Dallas. He was a native of West Virginia, and 54 years old. A daughter lives in South Bend, Ind., and son is engaged in mining in Arizona.

ADJOURNMENT OF COURT TODAY UNTIL JAN. 3rd

CLARK APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION IN BISBEE MINING DEAL BEING HEARD.

ASK A RECEIVER FOR HOTEL

Applied for by Los Angeles Building and Loan—Justice of Peace Johnson Quickly Liberated by Jury—Establishment of Conspiracy Failed.

(Special to Review.)

Tombstone, Dec. 22.—Both the United States and the Territorial courts will adjourn tomorrow afternoon for the holiday recess. They will reconvene on January 3. All the U. S. jurors were excused today for the ten-day period, and have gone to their homes.

The jury in the R. O. Johnson case was out three minutes this afternoon, when it returned a verdict of not guilty. Conspiracy on the part of Johnson to assist in the evasion of U. S. immigration laws failed entirely of establishment. The verdict met with general approval here by those who had heard the testimony introduced.

The case of Fred Clark against the Bisbee Queen Development Co. was taken up this afternoon, and it will be continued in the morning. Clark asks an injunction to prevent the directors of the company from issuing a block of stock for sale with which to raise money to meet certain obligations due on the first of January. So far the progress of the hearing has been slow, being burdened with technicalities brought by the attorneys for the opposing interests.

Tomorrow the application of the Los Angeles Building and Loan Association for the appointment of a receiver for the Queen Hotel at Douglas will be taken up. The B. & L. alleges that it has not received payments due, and that interest money has been neglected. It is probable that this will be the last matter to engage the attention of the court before it adjourns.

CUBA TAKES ADVICE.

Havana, Dec. 22.—The House of Representatives today passed the bill appropriating \$190,000 for the sanitation of the streets of Santiago, Cienfuegos, Cardenas and Matanzas, the work to be done in accordance with the request of the United States.

ARABIAN REVOLUTION.

London, Dec. 22.—According to a dispatch from Constantinople, a revolution has broken out in the vilayet of Yemlin, in Arabia. The rebels have had considerable success.

ROYALTY BIDS BULL FIGHTER TO SPAIN

CARO CHICO'S APPEARANCE SUNDAY WILL PROBABLY BE LAST IN AMERICA.

Railroad Arranges for Big Double Header to Take Immense Crowd to Naco Comfortably Christmas Afternoon—All Is Ready Over the Line.

The only Christmas attraction in prospect to furnish the amusement loving public of the section with something to vary the monotony of the even tenor of existence on Sunday is the big bull fight at Naco. From the present outlook, unless the weather interferes, it is to be judged that most everybody in the community will see Caro Chico. In anticipation of this traffic, the E. P. & S. W. has arranged to put on a 15-coach train, a double header, to take care of the crowd comfortably. More coaches will be in readiness in case they are needed, and all the people who want to take the 50-cent round trip ride will be able to do so without crowding at the time of the departure of the train at 1:30 p. m.

The arrangements for the fight at Naco are all completed and everything in readiness for the giving to the public of an entertainment in this line that has never been equaled for excellence at El Paso or any other point in the Southwest or in Mexico. In the latter country Caro Chico has made, during his present trip from Spain, the most enviable reputation of any matador who has ever been seen in it, and plaudits have been lavished upon him widely by the public. City of Mexico papers, in commenting upon his recent work there, are unstinted in their praise, and herald the matador as the greatest living exponent of his profession. The exhibition at Naco will afford the people of this section their last opportunity to see Caro Chico near home, for he sails shortly for Spain under royal orders, and it is probable that the balance of his active life will be spent in the arenas of the nobility on the other side of the Atlantic.

AT SEAT OF ASPHALT WAR.

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TO BE COURT-MARTIALED. Manila, Dec. 23.—Major Edward E. Hardin, of the Seventh Infantry, is about to be court-martialed on charges of neglect in not having a sufficient guard at Malate prison, from which thirty-three native prisoners escaped recently after killing three soldiers.

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HUNG JURY IN PATTERSON TRIAL?

Anticipated From Fact That It Is Still Out

ACTRESS BREAKING DOWN UNDER STRAIN

Jury Can Not Now Report Until 10:30 This Morning—Actress and Her Father Still Have Faith She Will Be Acquitted—Pathetic Message Sent the Daughter by Her Invalid Mother.

New York, Dec. 22.—The jury in the Nan Patterson case was locked up at 11:26 tonight, not having reached a verdict.

Miss Patterson heard the "pen" in the "pen," and it was as a matter of fact that she came near collapsing. The girl who showed such courage through the long trial is almost a nervous wreck. The great strength she formerly evinced has failed, and tonight she repeatedly exclaimed: "Oh, how can these men doubt my word?"

There will be no opportunity of hearing from the jury until 10:30 tomorrow morning, the hour fixed by the court for report from the twelve men who are to decide the fate of the chorus girl.

"That jury will never agree," was the verdict of scores of men who followed the jury from the court building to a neighboring cafe at 7:30 p. m. for dinner. Miss Patterson, after the jury retired this noon, spent the afternoon and evening between her cell in the jail and what is known as the "pen" on the third floor of the court building.

This evening after her dinner she was joined by her father, who has been constant in his support of his daughter since she was first accused of the crime, and who has been her faithful ally and companion every day in court. The abiding faith of the young woman was shown tonight when she expressed the opinion that the jury would acquit her. "I almost feel sure I will leave here tonight, for the jury, I think, will not stay out all night."

When she said this her face was tense with nervousness, and in her hand was a message she had just received from her mother. It read:

"Dear Nannie: We look for you tomorrow, because father sent word that the jury would set you free, and send you to me tonight. I dreamed last night that you were with us again, and it was Christmas day. God grant that dream comes true, Nannie, and that I will soon have my little girl again."

ACCIDENT ON HUNTING TRIP.

James Hanlan Shot in Both Feet By Discharge of Shot Gun.

A very serious accident took place last evening near Fronteras where several of the boys of Bisbee and Douglas went for a hunt. James Hanlan, one of the party and well known in Douglas, had his feet badly torn to pieces by the accidental discharge of a gun. The information that came to Douglas was meagre and the message stated that Hanlan had been seriously injured and requested that a special train and a physician be sent down to bring them to Douglas.

Monday afternoon Scott Whaley, B. Davidson and some others came down from Bisbee on their way to the hunting ground and were joined at this point by Mr. Hanlan. They expected to be absent for several days, but the accident cut their hunting trip short. The news was received with general regret as Hanlan has many friends in Douglas who have his welfare at heart.

Dr. Armstrong was hurried to the spot and requested that a special train and did all that could be done to dress the wound and allay the suffering of the injured man.

This is almost a parallel case to that which resulted in the accidental shooting of Tony Downs about a year ago, when a party was hunting near Columbus.

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